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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 14, 2008, with respect to the above-identified application.

A response to a First Office Action After RCE was filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 22, 2008.

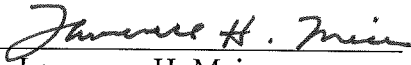
In the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, the Legal Instruments Examiner has indicated that the Amendments to the Claims as presented in the Response to First Office Action After RCE are in non-compliance because the new claims were presented with underlining. Thus, Applicant submits herewith replacement section "***In the Claims:***" for the one filed with

the Response to First Office Action After RCE on July 22, 2008. New claims 45 to 64 now appear without the underlining.

If any issues remain, the Legal Instruments Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned attorney at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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